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1. EMBASSY HAS JUST RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL FROM VOA CORRESPONDENT LOUISE CRANE, WHO WAS AT REUTERS OFFICE. THIS AFTERNOON WHEN IT WAS CLOSED BY GOP. SHE WAS HELD WITH 3 BRITISH CITIZENS FOR 3 HOURS AND THEN RELEASED; BRITISH ARE STILL BEING HELD. INVESTIGATIVE POLICE QUESTIONED HER CLOSELY ABOUT HER VOA WORK. THEY SAID THAT ALL FOREIGN NEWS AGENCIES ARE GOING TO BE CLOSED.

2. EMBASSY CANNOT CONFIRM WHAT TRUE GOP INTENTIONS ARE RE POSSIBILITY OF CLOSING DOWN FOREIGN NEWS AGENCIES. DEAN

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